

IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE

International Application No. : PCT/FR97/02005
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Title: CATALYST HAVING AT LEAST ONE ELEMENT OF GROUP VIIB AND ITS USE
HYDRO-TREATING

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified International application as follows prior to calculation of the fees.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the following claims:

- Claim 3, Line 1:** Delete "any one of claims 1 to 2" and insert --claim 1--.
- Claim 4, Line 1:** Delete "any one of claims 1 to 3" and insert --claim 1--.
- Claim 5, Line 1:** Delete "any one of claims 1 to 4" and insert --claim 1--.
- Claim 7, Line 1:** Delete "any one of claims 1 to 6" and insert --claim 1, further--.
- Claim 9, Line 1:** Delete "any one of claims 1 to 8" and insert --claim 1--.
- Line 5:** After "hydro-dehydrogenating" insert --metal--.
- NE Line 6:** Delete "0,01" and insert --0.01--.